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THE ADVERTISING SPACE

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THE DIE IS CAST.

On last Monday, the silver repeal bill was passed by the Senate "unconditionally." When the Senate met in extra session last August a majority were for free coinage and against "unconditional repeal." The people have not changed but the Senators have. Money has triumphed. The people are betrayed into the hands of their enemies. The people's own elected representatives did it. The crime of Judas Iscariot duplicated. For particulars and analysis of the vote see article headed "The Situation in Congress."

A MARVELOUS FEAT AT A POLITICAL CIRCUS.

R. C. Kent of Virginia, in a speech in Washington recently, said that "for himself he was a bimetalist, and he stood by the policy of the administration." The Washington Post said great applause followed this statement. The audience no doubt was as amazed at the capacity of a man to be a bimetalist and at the same time to stand by the policy of the administration that they unconsciously broke into applause. We have seen the circus masters at a show ride two different horses at the same time, but they were both going in the same direction. Mr. Kent breaks the record, he rides two going in different directions.

THE PEOPLE'S STAR OF HOPE.

The Democratic party of the Republic has given the people a "cowardly makeshift" instead of free silver, and now the people condemn the Democratic party for making a cowardly surrender to the gold trust. The people are now turning to the Populist party as their only star of hope.

THE GREAT WORLD'S FAIR OVER.

The great World's Columbian Exposition is now a matter of history. The gates closed on Monday night as directed by the U. S. congress, after running for six months lacking a day. To day it registers the high water mark of the world's progress, to-morrow the world will have broken the record as presented by the exhibit at the Fair. While one stood there and looked at the samples as it were of the most wonderful achievements of human skill, ingenuity and energy up to date, they ceased to interest even while we looked at them, for the mind turns to what is to follow—what are to be the next steps in progress. Mind rises by steps—one great achievement as soon as it is accomplished becomes simply a stepping stone for a new thought and another achievement still greater. From to-day the progress of the world is from the Columbian Exposition upward.

THE SITUATION IN THE SENATE.

For the last ten days a number of unexpected developments and changes have taken place in the U. S. Senate. One day the majority of Southern and Western Senators were standing together fighting the efforts of the gold combine to repeal the silver law. They were keeping up the same fight that has gone on for weeks. It seemed that they had Cleveland and his followers beaten. Suddenly a scheme was sprung for a compromise. This compromise provided that the Sherman law should be repealed to go into effect Oct. 1st, 1894, and that the seigniorage of silver now in the Treasury should be coined and that the greenbacks and other small bills under \$10 should be withdrawn from circulation.

Mr. Carlisle agreed to this compromise and it is also certain that Mr. Cleveland at first gave it his approval. A paper was circulated for Senators to sign who favored the compromise. The following (thirty-six) had signed when it was understood that Mr. Cleveland would not agree to wait even a year for a gold standard. Those who signed the compromise are as follows:

Bate, Berry, Blackburn, Brier, Butler, Call, Camden, Cockrell, Coke, Colquitt, Daniel, Faulkner, George, Gibson, Gordon, Gorman, Gray, Harris, Hutton, Jones, Lindsay, Martin, Morgan, Murphy, Palmer, Pasco, Pugh, Ransom, Roach, Smith, Turpie, Vance, Vest, Walthall, White (La.), White (Cal.).

It would have been a victory for the gold-bugs almost equal to unconditional repeal, yet every Southern Senator (except Senator Irby, of South Carolina) signed it. It was a cowardly surrender. It was a surrender of principle.

But those who pretended to be in favor of silver were ready to sacrifice it in the shape of a compromise. Why? For party harmony—to try to save the Democratic party at the next election, while the people are

allowed to suffer. Every honest friend of silver should prefer to see unconditional repeal passed rather than this "cowardly" compromise. If the Democratic congress has not the courage and honesty to give the people free coinage, then let the repeal bill pass and the issue will be squarely fought in the next campaign and the people will cast their verdict at the polls. But Cleveland who at first agreed to the compromise, suddenly changed his mind. He sent orders to the Senate that he must have unconditional repeal at once. We suppose he had gotten his orders from the gold trust that put up the money to nominate and elect him. At his orders, the Senate, which was about to pass the compromise bill, turned its face again to unconditional repeal. On last Friday Senator Voorhees called for a vote on the repeal bill according to Cleveland's orders. There are a number of amendments offered in the bill. The first vote was taken on the amendment of Senator Peffer to revive the free coinage act of Jan. 18, 1837. This would have given the country the same silver law that was in force from 1837 to 1873. That is the same law that was repealed by the "crime of 1873" by John Sherman. The vote on this amendment was as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Allen, Bate, Berry, Blackburn, Butler, Call, Coke, Daniel, George, Harris, Irby, Jones (Ark.), Jones (Neb.), Kyle, Martin, Pasco, Peffer, Power, Pugh, Roach, Shoup, Stewart, Teller, Vance, Vest, Walthall, Wolcott—28.

Nays—Aldrich, Caffery, Camden, Carty, Callum, Davis, Dixon, Dolph, Faulkner, Frye, Gallinger, Gibson, Gorman, Gray, Hale, Higgins, Hill, Hoar, Lindsay, Lodge, McMillan, McPherson, Manderson, Mitchell (Wis.), Morrill, Murphy, Palmer, Perkins, Proctor, Quay, Ransom, Sherman, Smith, Stockbridge, Turpie, Vilas, Voorhees, Washburn, White (La.)—39.

This is the first test vote on free silver in the Senate. Notice that it was defeated by 11 majority in a Democratic Senate. If the Senate had passed this amendment it would have given the people free coinage at the ratio of 16 to 1. It would have undone and wiped out the crime of 1873 by which silver was killed by stealth. The people will remember how for twenty years the Democratic papers, platforms, and speeches have denounced this piece of Republican infamy and asked for a chance to wipe it out. The people gave the party a "chance" and it has betrayed the trust. The Democratic party is to-day led by John Sherman and stands just where the Republican party did twenty years ago.

The next amendment was one by Senator Perkins of California. It provides not for free coinage, but for the coinage of the silver mined in America only. On this amendment Senator Teller made one of the shortest yet one of the strongest speeches that has yet been made in the Senate. See it in next week's issue. This amendment was voted down by ten majority. An amendment was then offered by Senator Berry of Arkansas, to revive the Bland law of 1878. This was voted down by a majority of eleven.

After several more amendments the vote was taken on the Voorhees bill for unconditional repeal. It was passed by a majority of 12. The following is the vote:

Yeas—Aldrich, Brier, Caffery, Camden, Carey, Callum, Davis, Dixon, Dolph, Faulkner, Frye, Gallinger, Gibson, Gorman, Gray, Hale, Hawley, Higgins, Hill, Hoar, Hutton, Lindsay, Lodge, McMillan, McPherson, Manderson, Mills, Mitchell, of Wisconsin, Morrill, Murphy, Platt, Proctor, Quay, Ransom, Sherman, Smith, Squire, Stockbridge, Turpie, Vilas, Voorhees, Washburn, White, of Louisiana—43.

Nays—Allen, Bate Berry, Blackburn, Butler, Call, Cameron, Cockrell, Coke, Daniel, Dubois, George, Harris, Irby, Jones of Arkansas, Jones of Nevada, Kyle, Martin, Pasco, Peffer, Perkins, Pettigrew, Power, Pugh, Roach, Shoup, Stewart, Teller, Vance, Vest, Walthall and Wolcott—32.

The following were the pairs: Mitchell of Oregon, and Allison; Chandler and White of California; Colquitt and Wilson; Palmer and Hansborough; Gordon and Morgan.

Thus "the crime of 1873" is endorsed by a Democratic congress. There are 45 Democrats in congress. Twenty-three voted against silver and 22 for silver; there are 36 Republicans, 25 voted against silver and 11 for silver. There are four Populists and every one voted for silver.

When this bill goes into effect the country is down to a single gold standard. The Democratic party is not only guilty of the same crime of the Republican party, but also of hypocrisy and fraud. They went into power denouncing Republican legislation and promising to give the people relief. The have betrayed the people. At the next election the people will convict them of high treason and drive them from power in disgrace. Remember that every Populist stood square for free silver, they also opposed every cowardly compromise.

File this paper. It will be useful for future reference.

After Cleveland had agreed to "that compromise" John Sherman called at the White House to see the President. Dan Lamont who had been to New York consulting with Wall Street also called. The news from the goldbugs and Sherman's persuasion caused Cleveland to change his mind.

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THAT COWARDLY COMPROMISE FOLLOWED BY A COWARDLY SURRENDER.

"UNCONDITIONAL REPEAL" PASSED BY A VOTE OF 43 TO 32.

The Administration appeared to weaken—it set a trap for the Southern Senators—Hungry for more Spoils Through "Party Harmony" They Stepped into the Trap—Cleveland Says His Advantage and at Once Again Demands Unconditional Repeal—The Party Senators Surrendered Unconditionally—The Treason of Ransom and Other Southern Senators.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The farce is nearing its end. On Monday the vote will be taken on the bill to repeal the Sherman law. Enough free silver democrats have been bodied to assure the unconditional repeal of the law. The country will take a long breath and will be thankful for the end. It has had enough and more than enough of duplicity, bravado, bluster and hypocrisy. It is a cowardly surrender to the money power, and is made the more dastardly by the bad faith and desertion of the free silver Southern Democrats. The honest friends of free silver have given up the contest as a hopeless one, but the struggle for the rehabilitation of silver has only begun.

In the burning words of Senator Wolcott's eloquent preface to-day: "The immediate contest is practically ended, and the purchasing clause of the Sherman act will be unconditionally repealed. The real struggle has only begun, however, and will not end till silver shall be rehabilitated as a money metal and a standard of value. Some of us may give place to others as the fight progresses, but whoever represents our States will stand ready to sacrifice everything that life holds dear in the battle for the interests of the people."

The struggle might have been protracted indefinitely but for the desertion of the blustering "die-in-the-latest" Southern free silver democrats. When called upon to face the crisis and make good their faith by works, they were not in it. It was fun for them so long as the responsibility for filibustering rested with the Senators from the Western silver States. They stood in the back ground, gritted their teeth at Cleveland, shook their fists in the President's face and swore in the cloak-rooms like troopers (in the picturesque language of Senator Harris of Tennessee) that they would resist unconditional repeal "until the universe dropped into the bottom of the sea." It was a harmless metaphor inspired by the peculiar brand of apoplexy water used in the Senate cloak-rooms and restaurant. When the punch came, when the time for the assertion of true manhood came, it turned out to be all bluster and bravado. Disgusted at this perfidy and cowardice the Western silver men gave up the fight against tremendous odds. What they most feared was one "cowardly makeshift" of a compromise such as the Gorman "bunco" committee presented.

ABOUT THAT COMPROMISE.

The inside history of this compromise is scandalous and disreputable both to the steering committee and to the Administration. The Administration started out for unconditional repeal. It weakened. It started to force a vote by sheer physical endurance. It failed. An amendment to the rules was proposed. It was never put to a vote. A compromise was agreed upon by all but one Southern free silver Democrat, Senator Irby, of South Carolina. Three days' discussion riddled it. At the crisis of this doubling and turning the Democratic Senators sought See Carlisle. He left them Saturday firm in the belief that Senator Gorman's compromise satisfied President Cleveland. In such things, words used are nothing; the result and conviction reached is everything. Senator Gray and other uncompromising supporters of repeal like him never assented to Gorman's compromise without believing it was also Secretary Carlisle's. Why not? Its worst and least defensible feature, "coining the seigniorage" was the Secretary's. For seven weeks he had been urging it. It is nonsense to think that his position on this vital step was unknown to President Cleveland or condemned by him.

The President's condemnation succeeded, it did not precede, the public outburst which Senator Sherman's indignant protest voiced and directed. Either after weeks of discussion, Secretary Carlisle was not in President Cleveland's confidence on the Secretary's plan for meeting Treasury needs, or the President saw a new light when the country spoke and withdrew his earlier assent to the issue of certificates based on "seigniorage."

In either case, can Secretary Carlisle remain a member of the Administration and at the head of the Treasury?

The President agreed to the compromise without a doubt whatever else to the contrary may be said. That he was deceived by the "steering committee" is equally certain.

That he was subsequently frightened into a repudiation of his position notably here whose opinion is worth quoting. At no time during the contest has the President taken any stock in the Gorman committee, but with all his well-founded suspicion of the Maryland Senator he was caught in his trap.

A DEEPLY DISAPPOINTED MAN.

Poor Gorman! For weeks it has been known that while he was ostensibly for repeal he was secretly in favor of continuing silver purchases because of the Populist movement in the South. His compromise has revealed his true position and put him before the country in his real character—as a time-serving politician, well enough in ward work, but useless in the wide affairs of state.

We might add poor Ransom, for the failure of the "bunco" scheme has well-nigh broken his heart. But for the little slip Vance made in signing the agreement, the disappointment and chagrin might prove fatal. But Vance

SIGNED WITH AN "IF."

After days of imploring and importuning to save the party, Vance yielded and signed the agreement, but did so it is said with a reservation that he would vote for it only in the absence of something better. The obligation bound him only in the event a proposition more favorable to silver was not obtainable. But if there is any balm in it for the distressed and unhappy Ransom the man who could envy his enjoyment of it would be unworthy of a generous impulse.

DECKS CLEARED FOR ACTION.

All the amendments to the bill were disposed of to-day, and Voorhees announced that he would ask a vote at 2 o'clock Monday. The bill will be at once reported to the House and Speaker Crisp has been quoted as saying that the Senate amendments will be concurred in within an hour after the bill reaches his desk.

MEMORABLE DEBATE.

This was in many respects the most remarkable day of the long debate in the Senate. Several speeches were made which indicated the strong undercurrents that have been present through all the proceedings. The safely valve was eased up a little and much of the pent-up feeling of the past ten weeks escaped.

The example was set by Senator Teller at the conclusion of the session yesterday, when he predicted great evil to result from the bill. Senator Wolcott took up the tale this morning and in a style that is peculiarly vigorous and scathing proceeded to set himself and the silver Republicans aright and placed the whole responsibility upon the shoulders of the Democrats, where it belongs.

GORMAN'S MACHIAVELLIAN SPEECH.

One of the most remarkable speeches of the day was that of Senator Gorman, of Maryland. He might be termed the modern Machiavelli. He showed in his speech to-day that while apparently working in harmony with the Administration he had been pursuing an entirely different line.

ALL CLEVELAND'S FAULT.

Berry, the one-legged Aakansas Senator, lashed himself into a furious rage in discussing his amendment re-enacting the Bland-Allison act of 1878. He urged the Democratic party to stand by its pledges and at least unite upon common ground. He referred to his willingness to enter a Democratic caucus of Senators in the interest of party harmony, in the hope that his side of the chamber could have been united. But every offer of compromise and conciliation had been rejected. He and his associates would be forced to tell their constituents and the country that a Democratic President would make no concession. They were forced to submit.

RANSOM'S EYE BRIGHTENS.

When Gorman was doing the contortion act in throwing away his disguise Ransom's face was black with despair, but for a second, and only a second, his face lighted up and his eye brightened. Gorman was tugging the cats out of the "steering committee's" bag, and Ransom didn't know what label he would wear. An crisis a neighboring Senator suggested audibly that "Ransom may succeed Judge Bond." There was a rift in the clouds, but the fateful east wind soon covered the horizon with inky blackness.

He voted against the free coinage amendment Friday, and somebody was mean enough to say that it was a bid for Bond's old shoes. He will vote on Monday for "unconditional repeal" and, more anon.

JONATHAN EDWARDS.

Later—Unconditional repeal passed the Senate this evening by a vote of 43 to 32. For repeal: Republicans 23, Democrats 20. Against repeal: Populists 4, Republicans 9, Democrats 19.

Senator Ransom voted against every amendment looking to the free coinage of silver, and then voted for unconditional repeal.

Washington, D. C. Oct. 29.

Be sure to read the article on transportation at the World's Fair under the head of "Our Trip." There is no more interesting exhibit at the Fair than the transportation building. Note what the Cosmopolitan Magazine says about the management of railroad lines.

Show your paper to your neighbor. When he reads one copy he will see that he can not do without it.

ALLIANCE DEPARTMENT

Over every land, in every age, Some curse of greed or human sin Has contrived the rights of man.

Even now some subtle power, Enthralling the wrong, exalts the knave, While others reign and toil for slave.

[Correspondent The Caucasian.]

TARBORO, N. C., Oct. 26th, 1893.—The regular meeting of Edgecombe County Alliance was held on the 24th inst., with a goodly number of members in attendance.

Before the meeting opened, however, Rev. Thomas W. Babb, of the Perquimans Record, made a public speech on the principles and demands of the Alliance. He spoke for an hour and a half with good effect, to an interested and appreciative audience. The necessity of the farmers organizing in order to secure justice at the hands of our lawmakers was forcibly presented. The condition of the country to-day, with vast fortunes held by only a favored few, while the masses have been brought to the verge of financial ruin, was portrayed in striking terms. While paying 80 per cent. of the taxes and owning only 20 per cent. of the wealth, the farmers are continually burdened, and their condition is the result of political ignorance. The Shylocks and money sharks have preyed upon the masses, and the only relief now to be obtained is through political action. He urged the farmers, and in fact everybody present, to study, think and act for themselves, and not be lead around with a political collar on their necks as they have been in the past. I have only given a general outline of Mr. Babb's speech. It made a good impression.

In the afternoon the County Alliance meeting was held, and there was much enthusiasm manifested. The discussions of the questions brought before the body were of a high order. One thing is particularly note-worthy, and that is, our alliancemen are gentlemen of very fine sense, and have the ability to discuss and consider questions with marked intelligence. It was decided, at this meeting, to meet hereafter with some of the sub-alliances in the county.

JAMES B. LLOYD.

See's Edgecombe Co. Alliance.

Alliance County.

BURLINGTON, N. C., Oct. 25th, 1893.—BRO. BUTLER.—Alliance county Farmers' Alliance held a picnic and public speaking in Burlington yesterday in connection with their county meeting. Bro. A. C. Shuford spoke to a large crowd in the Burlington warehouse for one hour and a half. Good order and marked attention were given to the speaker. Many non-alliancemen expressed their endorsement of Bro. Shuford's speech, and a number of subscriptions were taken to THE CAUCASIAN and the Progressive Farmer. It was a successful day for our cause, and Alliance will not be behind in the fight for reform.

ALLIANCEMAN.

Robeson County.

LUMBERTON, N. C., Oct. 24th, 1893.—ED. CAUCASIAN, DEAR SIR AND BRO.:—Robeson county Alliance met on the 19th inst. and transacted about the usual business. The reports from sub-alliances about an average—more initiations during the past quarter than for sometime.

Bro. Mewborne was present and made a speech of about two hours, I think, which was well received. He made a good impression. I could write more but prefer to be brief and have given you the pith of what was done. We had a good meeting.

Yours Fraternally,

W. H. HUMPHREY.

GRAND POPULIST RALLY.

There will be a grand rally of the Populist party at Monroe, N. C., on Friday the 10th of Nov., 1893. Hon. Marion Butler and Col. Harry Skinner will speak on the issues of the day. A large attendance is expected and everybody are cordially invited.

In another column will be found

the first part of "A Great Speech" delivered by Mr. Joseph, the Populist nominee for Governor of Iowa. Keep this paper till you get the next one and read all the speech at once.

\$100. REWARD, \$109.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving up the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its cures that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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The scarcity of money brought the

People's party into existence.—News & Observer.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Mr. Glenn and that Letter from Grover.

MIRANDA, N. C., Oct. 21st, 1893.

—ED. CAUCASIAN, DEAR SIR AND BRO.:—I would like for Bob Glenn to show his colors, as he tried to do in the last campaign. He said at Mooresville that he had a letter from Grover Cleveland advocating free coinage, when he was snorting, raging and sweating so, and wanted to knock men's teeth down their throats.

Come out Uncle Bob and show your colors, if you are a man you will do so. If you are a traitor you will hide yourself and your alleged letter as you are trying to do now. You talked about people being caught in steel traps. I think (as many others do) that you are caught in worse than a steel trap, even your own trap set to fool the people. Now, Uncle Bob, don't be bashful, come out and acknowledge the truth. Grover says he does not recognize your letter. Show up or forever shut up. The columns of THE CAUCASIAN, the editors says, are open for a reply.

Respectfully, A. A. W.

Johnston County.

JOHNSTON CO., Oct. 24th, 1893.—

MR. EDITOR:—The Hon. Marion Butler addressed one of the largest and most conservative audiences the writer ever saw at the courthouse in Smithfield last Friday. A good number of Democrats were present and paid marked attention to the speaker. So far as the writer has been able to learn his speech gave general satisfaction. There are a large number of Democrats in Johnston county who are in favor of a good honest government, administered by honest men, and it is a great pity that they were led to vote for President Cleveland by the paid tools of the gold bugs. We need a few more men like Mr. Butler to open their eyes. The writer heard of one gold bug priest advising some of the people not to go up to hear that Third party speech and kept them back, he did not want them to hear the truth. Permit me to say to the readers of THE CAUCASIAN that a good number of honest Democrats in Johnston county are fleeing from the gold-bug-give-us-a-chance boys as rapidly as rats from a burning barn. I venture to say that there are not now but few gold bugs in Johnston county. Numbers of good men say they regret that they did not vote for Mr. Butler at the last election. They clearly see that the 4th Congressional District is not represented in congress. The good country people brought plenty to eat, and you bet we had a jolly old time.

A CLODHOPPER.

When THE CAUCASIAN gets 20,000 subscribers some of our present subscribers will say "I was one of its early friends. I helped double its circulation by sending in a club of new subscribers." (tf.)

NOTICE

To the American People.

The Democratic party under the leadership of Grover Cleveland has surrendered to John Sherman and his allies. (tf.)

WHAT DID YOU SAY?

DRIVE IN

THE GREENVILLE WAREHOUSE,

Where you will find FORBES & EVANS, the two Leading Warehousemen in the State. This well known Warehouse is now open for the season and OLD MAN GUSS is still conducting the sales. The prices of Tobacco have advanced a great deal for the past two weeks and having a strong corps of buyers we can guarantee as much for the weed as you can possibly obtain on any other market. As proof we will quote you a few prices:

R. L. GIFFIN.

Pounds.	Price.	Amt.	Average.
32	\$30.00	\$ 9.80	
250	20.50	51.25	
282		\$60.85	21.60

HARDY & TUCKER.

Pounds.	Price.	Amt.	Average.
46	\$ 6.80	\$ 3.12	
80	22.00	17.60	
50	7.80	3.90	
65	16.25	10.56	
137	30.00	41.10	
378		\$76.28	20.00

HENRY EDWARDS, JR.

Pounds.	Price.	Amt.	Average.
17	\$20.00	\$ 3.40	
73	40.00	29.20	
85	35.00	29.75	
86	30.00	25.80	
261		\$88.15	33.77

J. S. BARBER.

Pounds.	Price.	Amt.	Average.
22	\$35.50	\$ 7.81	
50	24.00	12.00	
23	5.90	1.35	
73	12.28	8.94	
50	29.00	14.50	
43	11.25	4.83	
261		\$49.43	19.00

SIMON BROOKS.

Pounds.	Price.	Amt.	Average.
86	\$14.25	\$12.25	
50	30.00	15.00	
15	26.00	3.90	
12	45.00	5.40	
45	50.00	22.50	
84	35.00	29.40	
197	18.00	35.61	
\$489		\$114.06	23.25

ARTHUR FORBES.

137	30.00	41.10	
378		\$76.28	20
HENRY EDWARDS, JR.			
Pounds.	Price.	Amt.	Average.
17	\$20.00	\$ 3.40	
73	40.00	29.20	

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GOLDSBORO, N. C., NOV. 2, '93.

WAYNE COUNTY.

WATCH FOR THE BLUE CROSS.
A blue cross opposite your name means that your subscription will expire before the end of the month; and if you desire the paper go to you any longer you must send in your renewal by that time. The low price of the paper makes it just out of the question to send it longer than it is paid for. Be governed accordingly.

INDEX TO NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

H. L. Grant—Brick and Horse for sale.
Spicer's Drug Store—Specific Remedies.
R. E. Jones—A Good Manager wanted.

We wish to request our readers when writing to any of the above companies to say that you saw the advertisement in THE CAUCASIAN.

The price of cotton has not advanced as yet, but of course, we are looking for it. A good article is selling for 7 1/2 cents to-day.

We are having heavy frosts now and if the cold wave extends South we may expect to see yellow fever pull up and seek a warmer clime. A few such nights as last night will move it.

Mr. Thompson, from Alleghany County, N. C., brought in a carload of head of fine mountain beef cattle, on Tuesday. They were fine, some of them would weigh 700 or 800 hundred. Mr. H. J. Ham bought all but six of them, those were large steers and we learn that Messrs. Street & Hyman will take them, to be used for logging their Door Mills.

The city authorities are putting in a clock at the post office for the police to punch and parties living at a distance from the post office will have to be on guard or thieves will get in their work; you know a policeman can't watch everything at once, and the clock will be of the most importance. We suggest that they put in a stove also. It will be too hard to keep the boys there in the cold.

Hiram Grant, son of our townsman Maj. H. L. Grant, a student in the Divinity department of the Chicago University, has been awarded the Van Huren Scholarship. This is given under the direction of the Faculty to the one who has completed one year's residence, and who is a college graduate, in good health, of true piety and who has given more than ordinary promise of usefulness.

Dr. Hyatt performed a very difficult surgical operation on Mrs. Amos Phillips, of this county, about five weeks ago, removing a twenty pound fibroid tumor from her abdomen. She returned home last Monday perfectly cured. Dr. Hyatt probably has the largest surgical practice in the State, and his practice is constantly increasing. He has a nicely equipped sanatorium for the treatment of diseases of the eye and general surgery. It is the only institution of the kind in the State.—Kinston (N. C.) Free Press.

SPICER'S DRUG STORE.

We can't be well all the time. The best regulated families are bound to have medicines to assist nature when aches, pains and diseases come. Then go to Spicer's Drug Store at Goldsboro, N. C. See their advertisement in this issue. Give them your patronage.

WHAT CAPT. ASHE IS SAD ABOUT.

The editor of the News and Observer is in terrible distress because the patched up silver compromise was not accepted by Cleveland. He says retreating to Mr. Cleveland's policy and the action of Congress: "The fundamental idea of the Chicago platform in regard to the currency is ignored and no serious attempt is made to carry it into effect." Then winding up with a heart-rending wail he says: "We truly lament the predicament we (the party) are in." The distressed editor is not lamenting the condition of the people, it is the condition of the party only. If a compromise could be hatched out that would give the people not only no relief but even make times worse, he would probably rejoice if it would furnish "a chance" to use demagoguery to fool the people with in the next campaign. Men like the editor of the News and Observer are only sad when it looks like their political machine may get smashed by the people. Why? Because the machine is the grist that gives them work. The ass knoweth his master's crib.

MARION BUTLER'S APPOINTMENTS.

Will speak at the following times and places:
Nov. 10th, Monroe.
Nov. 9th, Enfield, N. C.
Nov. 11th, Lumberton.

Marshal MacMahon, the great French General and President of the Republic, died last week.

Nearly every man who has advertised in THE CAUCASIAN has taken the trouble to assure us that he was highly satisfied with the results.

OUR TRIP TO VIRGINIA.

We spent part of last week and week before in Virginia assisting the Populist in their campaign there. We found a general revolt among the masses of the people against Mr. Cleveland's administration, and therefore against Mr. O'Frell, who represents Mr. Cleveland's policy. With good organization and a fair honest vote, the Populist will carry every county that we went into. We of course can't speak for the condition of counties in other parts of the State. The fight in the old dominion this year is between the Democrats and the Populist; the Republicans have no ticket in the field. From the best that we can judge the majority of the white Republicans will vote the Populist ticket. The Democrats, however, are making a desperate effort to secure the negro vote. In one county that we were in (Halifax) we were told that the Democratic politicians had a negro school teacher or preacher, hired going around over the county and advising the colored people to sell their votes to the man who would pay them the most money. White politicians were going around behind the negro, we are informed, offering to buy. Of course this is done largely for effect, for the Democratic machine has laid a plan to steal the negro votes, or rather count it for their ticket, and they will make a big demonstration about getting the negro votes, so as to cover their tracks when they stuff the ballot box. The election law in Virginia requires that the judges of an election (at least one of the judges) shall belong to a different political party from the others. Now since the Republicans have no ticket in the field of course the only honest fair thing for the machine to do, is to appoint a Populist on the board of judges of elections. But instead of this, they have appointed a Republican on the board and no Populist, just as they did in North Carolina last year. These Republican judges were frequently ignorant negroes, who can either be fooled on the day of election or easily influenced not to report or protest against fraud. Honest men who want to hold an honest election would never resort to such methods as this. How can people expect honest laws from men who are trying to get into power by such dishonest methods. We fear that the machine in Virginia will not give the people anything like a fair vote. But we are not discouraged, for we believe Providence is behind this reform movement, and that indignation there will follow these corrupt methods as it did in North Carolina, and so arouse honest voters of the State that they will never again submit to it.

HILL A GOLD-BUG TOO.

When Senator Hill a few weeks ago made his already famous speech on the silver question, we wrote an editorial and told the people to watch him. He made one of the best arguments we have seen for free silver and even declared that he was for free coinage at a ratio of 15 to 1, but closed his speech by saying that he would vote for the unconditional repeal. We then said that he was a gold-bug and was posing as a friend of silver in order to give it all the deadliest blow. He is now showing his hand. He is trying to apply the cloture rule to the Senate in the interest of the gold-bugs. He is making such a strong fight for the gold-bugs that President Cleveland has forgotten their enmity and speaks well of him. The Cleveland gold-bug organs are all now praising Hill. If Hill had been elected President he would have stood just where Cleveland stands on the present question. No patriot South or West can ever again trust any Eastern or Northern Democrat. They are just like the Republican leaders—all belong to the gold trust and monopolies.

DID SECRETARY BARNES SEND THE RESOLUTION?

In last week's issue we called attention to Senator Vance's statement in his speech at Raleigh that he had not heard a word from the farmers in North Carolina as to their wishes to the financial question. We also called attention to the fact that he was instructed on the financial issue by the legislature of '91, which was a farmers legislature. In addition to that the Farmers Alliance of North Carolina in session at Greensboro last August passed a series of resolutions with reference to the financial question then before Congress, and still before it, addressed to Senators Vance & Ransom, and the representatives in Congress. It was the duty of Bro. Barnes the State Secretary to forward copy of these resolutions. Now we take these means of asking him if he did so. We await his answer before making further comments.

CAR REED MAKING A SPEECH IN BOSTON LAST FRIDAY.

"Cleveland has conquered the Democratic party." He would have been more exact if he had said: "That Cleveland by the use of patronage, and Wall Street by the use of money had made the leaders of the Democratic party surrender to the gold-bugs and the monopolists." It is a cowardly surrender of the principles of Jefferson and Jackson and a betrayal of the interests of the people. A day of retribution is coming. The people have not lost their manhood.

ENFIELD, THURSDAY, NOV. 9TH.

Note the change in the appointment at Enfield, N. C. It will be Thursday, Nov. 9th, instead of the 16th. Marion Butler and others will speak on the issues of the day.

A HOPEFUL SIGN.

THE CAUCASIAN is going to more than a thousand voters who have not subscribed, but some friend and reform worker has raised the money and paid for the papers. Several months ago a number of these papers, when sent, were returned. But for the last two months not a single paper has been returned. This is a good sign. It shows that blind partisan prejudice is giving way to reason and a desire for more light. Keep the good work up. Raise the money and have the paper sent to every man in your section who does not read it. Now is the time to work. Every honest voter is now ready to read. He is already thinking, but he needs to know the facts.

STEALING HAS STOPPED.

When there was so much stealing going on through the mails we asked our friends not to send money, stamps or postal note in ordinary letters. This has put our friends to some trouble, but we thought it best to follow that course. We got the government to put a detective out. The stealing has stopped. It has now been several months since a letter has been lost. So we think it is now safe to send money or postal notes in small amounts in open letters. When the amount is large buy money order or register your letter. If the amount is over two dollars you can send it at our expense. Don't send stamps except for small amounts and then send ones and twos only.

TWO KINDS OF MONOPOLY SERVERS.

We have nothing but contempt for editors of the stripe of Sam Ashe and Dr. Kingsbury. They claim to be bimetalists, they claim to be opposed to the unconditional repeal of the Sherman law on principle, but when another cowardly makeshift was offered they were further from free silver than the Sherman law they at once said that it was a good thing and that "we must all agree in the interests of party harmony." "Party harmony" is the dodge that is always used by the politicians when they are sacrificing the interests of the people and wish to conceal the fact. The men who suck the public tit are too often ready to agree to anything that will help them to hold on to the tit.

WE HAVE A GREAT DEAL MORE RESPECT FOR A MAN LIKE JOE CALDWELL, THE EDITOR OF THE CHARLOTTE OBSERVER.

He is a gold bug and a champion of monopolies and he does not try to conceal the fact. He was for unconditional repeal, and even a cloture rule to get it and did not hesitate to say so. He is even for the issue of bonds, if President Cleveland and the gold bugs want them. He is a partisan tool for the administration and the machine and boldly says so. We know he is wrong and he knows he is wrong, but we admire his bold and straightforward way of serving his masters.

THE SOLID SOUTH PUBLISHED AT FAYETTEVILLE, AND THE POPULIST PUBLISHED AT LUMBERTON.

These are two of the latest editions to the list of reform papers in the State. They are local papers, and will look after the interests of the Populist cause in their respective counties. THE CAUCASIAN is glad to see them enter the arena for the rights of the people, and hopes before long to see just such a paper started in every county in North Carolina. In every fight for the people, local talent on the stump and local papers have to bear the brunt of the fight and do the most effective work. A State paper like THE CAUCASIAN can stand on the watch tower and give the general alarm, but every fight is won and every business succeeds by attention to details. This can only be done by thorough organizing at home, backed up by a good local paper.

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Yes. He can put all his property in her name.

Capt. W. S. Barnes, Secretary of the N. C. Farmers' State Alliance.

has sued Mr. J. P. Kerr Post Master of the Asheville and formerly editor of the Citizen for libel, laying at \$5,000, and sues Congressman W. T. Crawford for slander, laying damages at the same amount. Secretary Barnes charges that Mr. Crawford in 1890 signed all the Alliance "demands," including the one for sub-treasury. This Mr. Crawford denies. In 1892, during the last campaign, the Populist who ran against Mr. Crawford made his charge. Mr. Crawford demanded that the proof be produced, and the Populist later read a card, certified to be a copy of the one which Mr. Crawford had signed. Mr. Crawford demanded that the original be produced, and declared that the card shown was a forgery and a lie, and that Mr. Barnes had forged his name. Mr. Kerr published all this matter, including Mr. Crawford's statement in his paper. Complaint was filed last spring by Mr. Barnes. Mr. Kerr demurred. The demurrer will be argued before Judge Shuford at chambers hereafter to-morrow. Bro. Barnes will win his suit, for he has the facts and the law.

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Sampson County News.

TAYLOR'S BRIDGE.

Mr. T. E. Boney was married to Miss Addie Sutton at his father's residence on the 22nd, by Rev. Chas. F. Hoppe. The attendants were Misses Lallie Vann, and Cornelia Brown and Messrs Willie Matthis and David Boney.

Mr. Walter Kelley of Lisbon will teach the school at Mr. Gilead. He will commence at an early date, so we are informed.

Mr. M. J. P.'s letter from Ga. was rather interesting if it hadn't dealt quite so much in those gilt edged inducements which the town promoter keeps in stock. It smacks rather much of a "boom" to be sure—not for Sampson county farmers, but for "farmers."

In the meantime our farmers are not to be easily lured away from their paternal estates by "glittering catch words" from any state or county, in the regions round about.

J. O. M.

Died: Little Ralph, son of Mr. C. C. Johnson on the 17th, aged nine months and thirteen days.

Mrs. Sandlin, of Duplin, has been visiting at Mr. A. J. Smith's.

Rev. Walter Johnson preached an instructive sermon to the colored people at Mt. Zion last Sunday evening.

Looking from a personal point of view, we are due Senator F. R. Cooper on apology for some things we inadvertently put in a recent article. If we have overstepped the proprieties, we freely make all necessary reparation there for.

J. O. M.

MINGO.

Our farmers are about through housing their crops.

The Cape Fear Freewill Baptist Conference will convene at Shady Grove on Friday and Saturday before the second Sunday.

The storm on the 13th did considerable damage to pine forests in this section.

Miss Eula Jackson, who has been very sick with fever is improving. Hurrah for THE CAUCASIAN.

JESSE.

Mr. Martin Jernigan, of Johnston Co., who mysteriously disappeared about ten days ago, was found in a well late Saturday evening. He is supposed to have committed suicide.

The Demorest Contest club will meet at Bethesda church Saturday before the first Sunday in November.

Miss Sallie Thorton left yesterday for Glenwood, where she will attend school.

DINAH.

WESTBROOKS.

We are pained to chronicle the death of our sister, Mrs. P. G. A. Tart, who died on Monday the 16th.

FRANKLIN.

Mr. Fennell Corbett and Miss Lila Misses Carrie Hines and Mary Moore, attended Presbytery at Faison's. The two last ladies will extend their trip to Goldsboro, to visit Mrs. N. O'Berry.

Rev. Father Denning, of Wilmington, preached on the 16th, at Mr. J. C. Newkirk's.

Misses Lon Fennell, Laura Swinson and Berta Colwell are attending school in Greensboro.

Miss Mary Seavey is teaching at Concord, Duplin co.

Rev. Mr. Geddie and family have returned from their little tour.

H. W. S.

DISMAL.

MESSRS. W. D. Spell and Blackman Royal were attacked by a burly negro while returning from Fayetteville on the 26. Two pistol shots were fired, the second finding a lodging place in the shoulder of the negro which they were driving. In his fright, the negro precipitated the riders into a ditch. The negro demanded money or life, but just at that critical moment, assistance came and relieved the awkward situation. The negro made his escape. Harvest is here, and the yell of the corn shucker is heard in the land.

GIL.

HALL'S.

The Glencoe High School, under management of Prof. J. D. Ezzell, has a full attendance and is increasing rapidly.

Miss Mary King, who recently gave a few weeks vacation for housing crops, &c., resumed her school Monday.

Miss Sallie, the accomplished daughter of Dr. Thompson, will commence a private school in Dist. No. 10 next week. She comes highly recommended and we welcome her among us.

Mr. J. R. McPhail has this year grown the largest lot of the finest tobacco produced in this section since the days of D. R. Watson.

Coleman Saneby, who was shot in a drunken brawl by one Lee sometime about July 1st, is in quite a pitiable condition if appearance tell anything.

Mr. O. F. Herring has some of the best improved stock in this township. The Masonic funeral at Mr. J. H. Bowden's last Sunday over the remains of Mr. Hatchett was largely attended. There were about fifty Masons in the procession. Rev. Mr. Harper preached from Rev. 11:10: "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life." A very able sermon.

Estelle, infant child of Mr. Jasper and Mrs. Ada Weeks, died last week. This is the second child they have lost in the last year. The deepest heartfelt sympathies of the community go out to the afflicted family in their bereavement. "Suffer little children to come unto Me and forbid them not for of such is the kingdom of Heaven."

"Old Aunt Nancy" Mobley, a colored woman, aged 110 years died last Saturday.

Mr. Herring makes a good farmer

as well as a good Register of Deeds.

He had a regular old-time corn shucking one night last week. He has made one hundred and fifty barrels of corn besides cotton, peas, potatoes and tobacco.

While Mr. J. H. Bass and his children were off in the field at work a few days ago, a dark complexioned man entered his house and demanded of Mrs. Bass what money they had. Mrs. Bass being sick and in bed at the time, and being very much excited at his threat to kill her, told him where to find it. He went into a trunk and found \$70 in a small paper box. He left and threw the box down soon after leaving the house after taking out the money. This makes the second house that has been robbed in this section in one week. Everybody ought to keep their guns well loaded with buckshot and kill the next one that attempts such a thing.

CLINTON LOCALS.

Mr. Mosley Hubbard, of Wilmington, was in town last week.

Some improvements are being added to Mr. F. R. Cooper's residence on College street.

The many friends of Mr. Henry W. Britt were glad to see him in town a few days since.

After an extended visit to friends in Southwest Georgia, Miss Bess Autry has returned to Clinton.

Miss Madge McDuffie, formerly of Sampson, but now of Columbia, S. C., is visiting at Mr. O. F. Herring's.

J. O. M.

Rev. A. A. Butler and wife, of Durham, attended the Union at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Irene and Josie Carroll were the guests of Miss Muriel Richardson during their stay at the Union.

Quite a large crowd attended the reception at Mr. L. P. Barbary's last Thursday night, given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Morisy.

Miss Gertrude Clute has returned from Virginia. The other members of the family will soon follow, and make North Carolina their home again.

As per announcement Rev. Mr. Gilble conducted services at St. Paul's church last Sunday morning and night.

Among those who attended the Baptist Union from Duplin were Messrs. Chancery Carlton, Stephen Colwell, Sidney Williams, Misses, Harriette Colwell and Katie Williams.

NEWS AND COMMENT.

Hon. Carter Harrison, Mayor of Chicago, was murdered on last Saturday evening. About 8:25 o'clock an unknown man rang the bell and was admitted to the house by the servant. Mayor Harrison was lying on a lounge in the front room, having returned but a short time before from the World's Fair, where he had participated in the municipal exercises of the day. When the stranger was admitted he pushed at once to the front room, fired four shots from a revolver at the Mayor and then fled. Three of the bullets took effect in Mr. Harrison's body and he died in about 10 minutes. The name of the assassin is E. P. Prendergast. He is in jail. He says the Mayor promised him an office, but fooled him. Mr. Harrison was soon to be married to Miss Annie Howard. The engagement was to be announced about a month ago.

Thus far in the year there have been twenty-eight serious railway disasters, whereby 225 persons lost their lives, while over 600 were more or less injured, and although this extraordinary record is said to be due to the largely increased travel consequent upon the World's Fair, at Chicago, an examination of the list will show that considerably more than half the fatalities occurred prior to the opening of the Exposition.

We notice that the second annual meeting of the North Carolina Lumber Dealers Association is called to meet in Charlotte this month. The people will keep their eyes on this organization and see what hand it tries to take in politics. If it attempts to bolster up the Democratic machine in this State, then the people can quit drinking whiskey and freeze them out.

Gov. Carr has appointed Mr. B. F. Aycock, of Wayne county, a Director of the Eastern Colored Insane Asylum, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. N. M. Culbreth, of Whitville, N. C.

Later—We understand that Mr. Aycock has declined.

Miss Daisy Garland, daughter of Ex-Archbishop General Garland, committed suicide in Washington, D. C., by shooting herself through the heart on last Friday. She was 24 years old and had been suffering with melancholy for some time.

Judge Bond, Judge of the U. S. Circuit Court, died in Baltimore last week, heart failure. He decided the famous South Carolina Kluklux cases, also the complexion of the electoral vote of that State in 1876.

Dr. J. C. Price, the colored orator, died last Wednesday. He was probably the most gifted colored orator in the world.

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THE ROBBER TARIFF.

On November 1st, the Democratic party had been in power thirty-four weeks. During that time (according to auto-election statements) the "culminating atrocity" has robbed us of just \$456,769,226. This must be charged up to them as they are in complete control and could, ere this, have wiped out every vestige of the "McKinley monstrosity." We propose to keep tab on this weekly, adding \$13,461,538. Just watch how it grows and show the result to your democratic neighbor.—Dakota Ruralist.

THE MARTLET SEAL

BY JEANETTE H. WALWORTH.

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CHAPTER XIII.

When Miss Fairbanks finally turned her steps towards Glenburnie again, she did it with such unprecedented brightness that Ninette, holding tight by one of her fingers, as she swayed helplessly over the uneven ground, was moved to protest.

"What is your running for, auntie? My legs are too short."

Ida slackened her pace, stooped to kiss the child's forehead, and answered, enigmatically:

"Poor little martlet! I am not running, Ninette. I am just trying my new wings. I want to see how it feels to flutter them outside of prison bars. My emancipation proclamation goes into effect from today, Miss Ninette Fairbanks!"

Ninette had dropped her hand and circled gravely twice around her before responding, quizzically: "But I can't see them!"

"See what?"

"Your new wings."

Whereupon Ida laughed so long and so gaily that Ninette, applying her own little narrow gauge to this unwonted flow of spirits, asked:

"Is somebody given you something nice, auntie?"

"No, Ninette, but I have been brushing the cobwebs from the sky, and it is good to see the sunlight of truth once more."

"Oh, I know now!" The light of intelligence broke suddenly over the puzzled baby face. "Mother Goose!"

"Freely," said Ida, accommodating herself to the tender feet and rhythmically supplying the context:

"There was an old woman,
Tossed up in a blanket,
Seventeen times as high as the moon;
What she did there,
I cannot tell you,
But in her hand she carried a broom.
Old woman, old woman,
Old woman, said I,
Oh, whether, oh, whether, oh, whether so high
To sweep the cobwebs from the sky,
And I'll be back again by and by."

It was so deliciously easy to be nonsensical that day!

"But you'll come back, auntie, by and by?" There was a touch of anxiety in the ignorant little voice.

"I will never get so very far away from you, my darling, my little sunbeam, my salvation!"

They had reached the front door of their own home by this time. Ida handed the child promptly over to old Dido, who was her object of love. Then she turned towards the stairway alone.

"I have found out all I want to know, Dido."

Dido looked into the illumined young face before her with a new respect. She had lifted the veil heavy with the dust of half a century.

"Well, my child!"

"Rubbish!" Ida snapped her fingers airily. "I'm disgusted to think how much veneration I've wasted on it all these years. And Dido, I am going to have a plain talk with father-to-day. I wanted to know the whole truth first. After to-day you shall hide our dear little girl away in that gloomy old wing any longer. I'm going to sweep the cobwebs out of father's brain next."

"Not much hardship in the wing," said old Dido, not altogether relishing the iconoclastic spirit that was invading Glenburnie. "Things that had remained so long must have some inherent strength in them—the vendetta among them. She was almost too old to adjust herself to a livelier order of things."

"I tell you what it is, missy—"

"But Ida's skirts were just disappearing around the last curve in the spiral staircase. She had gone to sweep the cobwebs from her father's head, and to put her new wings definitely in his presence. She found him impatiently arranging the chess-men on the board.



"IS SOMEBODY GIVEN YOU SOMETHING NICE, AUNTIE?"

Ida consulted her watch, and, acknowledging her cheerful greeting:

"You are outgrowing the old-fashioned virtue of punctuality, Ida. I am sorry to see."

"I am outgrowing a great many other things, father. I am glad to say, but I hope I will always retain due respect for that old-fashioned virtue, as you call it."

She took her place opposite him, but made no motion towards availing herself of the accustomed privilege of taking the first move.

"I think our game will have to wait a little while this morning, father. I want to have a long and plain talk with you—must have, in fact."

The elderly man leaned back in his chair with a groan.

"Spare me! Are the miles dying with ennui? Send for a veterinary. Are the gin-saws in need of sharpening? Send for a gin-wright."

Ida held up her hand imperiously.

"Father, I am in no mood for your cynical jests. I have just come from White Cliffs. Mr. Lorimer is very ill, but I do not think she will die. Her sons do."

"White Cliffs! You have been to White Cliffs, and have the temerity to acknowledge it to me?" His face was purple with rage.

"I have."

"And you are not afraid of my curse?"

"Not in the least."

"There was such cool assurance, such indomitable courage, in her face and voice that her father felt suddenly self-conscious of foolish bluster. He shifted his position restlessly, but remained silent."

"Father," she said, in a sweet, grave voice, utterly devoid of sarcasm, "I want you to listen to me quietly. When I get through, then will be time enough for any vaporing you may feel inclined

It was so sudden, so utterly incomprehensible, that even when the family physician told her that he had known for years that her father must eventually go in just that sudden fashion from heart-failure, she found it hard to believe that he was no longer there at Glenburnie, wasting his manhood, ignoring his responsibilities, demanding daily tribute of her, bodily, mentally and morally.

"Thank God, he died with a blessing on his lips for a Lorimer," she wrote to Sibley, and sealed the letter with a black impress of a martlet.

"I am sorry he did not know about Sibley's child, Dido," she said that night, reaching out her hand for a touch of the hard faithful one that had never yet failed her. "I meant to have told him."

"You done it for the best. It ain't all cleared up yet. And he had a mighty turn for pesterin' about things. It would have just given him a lot of questions to ask which nobody but your brother could answer."

"Sibley will be here in a day or two."

"Thank the Lord for all His mercies!"

"And Dennis too."

A wan smile flitted over his white face, and, closing his tired eyes, he fell asleep with his lover's name on his lips and her hand lying like a snow-flake in black Dido's clasp.

TO BE CONTINUED.

A NATIONAL CURRENCY THE BEST

In a speech in the Senate in 1837, John C. Calhoun said:

"It appears to me, after bestowing the best reflection I can give on the subject, that no convertible paper—that is, paper whose credit rests on a promise to pay—is suitable for currency. Bank paper is cheap to those who make it, but dear, very dear, to those who use it. On the other hand, a national currency, while it would greatly facilitate its financial operation, would cost nothing or next to nothing, and it would, of course, add much to the cost of production, which would give to every branch of our industries great advantages both at home and abroad. And I now undertake to affirm without the least fear I can be answered, that a paper issued by the government, with a simple promise to receive it for all dues would form a perfect paper circulation which could not be abused by the government; that it would be as uniform in value as the metals themselves, and I shall be able to prove that it is within the constitution and powers of congress to use such a paper according to the most rigid rule of construing the constitution."

(If.)

IN HE A TRAITOR?

An Offer to Shake Hands over the Robbing and Oppression of the People.

Mr. Murat Halstead, commenting on the change of Mr. Cleveland since the election, says:

"The President has held out a hand to the Republicans to be shaken on the understanding that if help could be found in the Republican party to carry the unconditional repeal of the Sherman law there will be no hurry to repeal the McKinley law, for after all the 'only menace' of our welfare is not protection or reciprocity, but the paying of gold for silver and the mediocrity of the silver cranks?"

(If.)

DO YOU WANT TWO PAPERS?

We will send you for one year THE CAUCASIAN and any of the following papers for the amount opposite:

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The control of trade through the contraction of the currency or by placing it in the hands and power of a few is the analogue of the control of the supply of commodities through the protective tariff. The principle is the same. The man who understands favorably Cleveland's financial policy is a protectionist at heart.

(If.)

JEFFERSON AND JACKSON

Were Opposed to Banks of Issue Both State and National.

Andrew Jackson it was who said, "if congress has the right under the constitution to issue paper money, it was given them to be used by themselves, not to be delegated to individuals or banking corporations."

Thus, Jefferson it was who said, "Bank paper must be suppressed, and the circulating medium must be restored to the nation to whom it belongs. It is the only fund on which we can rely for loans, it is our only resource which can never fail us, and it is an abundant one for every necessary purpose."

If you believe in the doctrine of Jefferson and Jackson and have the manhood to back up your belief with your votes, what party will you be acting with to-day?

"THE ONLY MENACE."

The Poor Old Campaign Tariff not in it Any More.

A financial condition which is the ONLY MENACE to the country's welfare and prosperity.—Grover Cleveland, June 28, 1893.

Whenever one of the partisan papers is unable to answer the arguments of THE CAUCASIAN it squeals "Miss Mary Ann!" We always know we have got the hypocrites down when they resort to this. Some fools are very amusing.

ALLIANCE SPEAKING.

Hon. A. C. Suford will address the people of Granville county at the following places:

Brassfield, Wednesday, Nov. 1st.
Credmore, Thursday, " 2nd.
Stem, Friday, " 3rd.
White Rock, Saturday, " 4th.
A basket picnic at each place.

A. S. PEACE, Co. Lecturer.

CONTRIBUTE THIS MONTH.

LET A COLLECTION BE TAKEN UP AT EVERY COUNTY MEETING

For The Folk Monument Fund.

A resolution was passed by the last State Alliance to make Col. Polk's birthday, which occurs next spring, a day for holding memorial meetings all over the State and raising funds to build a monument to mark his last resting place. THE CAUCASIAN wants to see the monument ready and unveiled by that time. We made this suggestion to the delegates at the State Alliance, and it met with such a hearty approval, that a voluntary collection was immediately taken up amounting to \$35.90.

Now let each county alliance at the next quarterly meeting which will be held this month set apart an hour or more for short memorial talks and then take up a collection for this fund. THE CAUCASIAN will receive and receipt for the same.

THE CAUCASIAN'S fund for the monument now stands as follows:

Collected at State meeting, 1893, \$35.90

Am't received before that time, 30.50

D. W. Lindsay, 50
The CAUCASIAN, 10.00
Westville Alliance, 2.00
Guem Neek Alliance, 3.00
Luna Alliance, No. 1031, 2.00

We will publish in this column each week the contributions sent in.

In addition to our contribution of \$10, we will out of every club of ten cash subscribers sent in at one time, we will place one dollar to this fund and give the sender of the club credit for the same.

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Young Folks' Post Office.

TAILO, N. C., Oct. 23, 1893.

MR. EDITOR—I am a little girl 12 years old. Papa takes THE CAUCASIAN and we all like it very much. I read and am very much interested in "The Martlet Seal" and Children's Corner. I hope all the little folks that take THE CAUCASIAN enjoy it as much as I do.

Your unknown friend,
FANNIE FREEMAN.

DUNK, N. C., Oct. 23, 1893.

MR. EDITOR—As I have never written to THE CAUCASIAN I will ask the boys and girls a question: After whom was New York named? By whom was it settled? I wish you and your paper very much success. Hoping you much success.

Your unknown friend,
CLAUDE BELL.

PIKEVILLE, N. C.

MR. EDITOR—I am a little boy 7 years of age. I weigh 41 pounds and can pick 35 to 40 pounds of cotton a day. My father takes THE CAUCASIAN and is pleased with it. I have been to school two sessions and can read the letters from boys and girls in your paper. I go to Sunday School. Wishing you much success.

Respectfully,
SAMIE UNDERWOOD.

PIKEVILLE, N. C.

MR. EDITOR—I like THE CAUCASIAN very much. I am a little girl 13 years of age. I am interested in the boys' and girls' column. I will ask them a question: What was the first miracle performed by our dear Saviour, and how old was He when He went about His Father's business?

Respectfully,
CARRIE UNDERWOOD.

SEND AT ONCE.

Don't wait a week! Let us hear from you at once. THE CAUCASIAN certainly ought to have over 20,000 subscribers. The sooner the names are received, the sooner the work of making converts will begin. Give us double the readers and we will do double the good each week. Send in a club at ONCE.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

CHILDREN'S CORNER.

THE LITTLE HOUSE IN THE GARDEN.

II. BOYS.

CONTINUED FROM LAST ISSUE.

The others laughed, but dressed with unusual speed, and flew to the garden-house, to find the lock unbroken, and all as still inside as when they left it. Looking very anxious, Harry opened the door, and they all peeped in. There, at his post before the altar, lay the little knight, fast asleep. Rain had soaked his clothes, the chilly night air had made his lips and hands purple with cold, and the trials of those long hours had left the round cheeks somewhat pale. But he still guarded his arms, and at the first sound was awake and ready to defend them, though somewhat shaky with sleep and stiffness.

The penten boys poured forth apologies, in which fire, remorse, and breakfast were oddly mixed. Bobby forgave them like a gentleman, or, by guessing with a laugh and a shiver, "Guess I'd better go home, for ma'll be worried about me. If I'd known being out all night and getting wet was part of the business, I'd a' left word and brought a blanket. Am I a Round Table now? Shall I have a sword, and train with the rest? I didn't holler once, and I wasn't much scared, and all the bells, and the dark, and the rain."

"You've won your spurs, and we'll knight you just as soon as we get time. You're a brave fellow, and I'm proud to have you one of my men. Please don't say much about this; we'll make it all right, and we're awfully sorry," answered Harry, while Ned put his own "bucket over Bobby's shoulders, and Billy beamed at him, feeling that his friend's exploit outdid any of his own.

Bobby marched away as proudly as if he already saw the banners waving over him, and felt the accolade that made him a true knight. But that happy moment was delayed for some time, because the cold which he had caught in that shower threatened a fit of sickness; and the boys' play looked as if it might end in sad earnest.

Harry and his brothers confided all to mamma, listened with humility to her lecture on true knighthood, and did penance by serving Bobby like real brothers-in-arms, while he was ill. As soon as the hardy boy was all right again, they took solemn counsel together how they should reward him, and atone for their carelessness. Many plans were discussed, but none seemed fine enough for this occasion till Billy had a bright idea.

"Let's buy Bob some hens. He wants some dreadfully, and we ought to do something grand after treating him so badly, and nearly killing him."

"Who's got any money? I haven't; but it is a good idea," responded Ned, vainly groping in all his pockets for a dime to head the subscription with.

"Mamma would lend us some, and we could work to pay for it," began Billy.

"No, I have a better plan," interrupted Harry, with authority. "We ought to make a sacrifice and suffer for our sins. We will have an auction and sell our arms. The boys want them and will pay well. My lords and gentlemen, what say ye?"

"We will!" responded the loyal subjects of King Henry.

"Winter is coming, and we can't use them," said Billy innocently.

"And by next spring we shall be too old for such games," added Ned.

"Tis well! Hol call hither my men. Bring out the suits of mail; sound the trumpets, and set out!" thundered Harry, striking an attitude and issuing his commands with royal brevity.

A funny scene ensued; for while Billy ran to collect the boys, Ned dismantled the armory, and laid disposed of the weapons in the most effective manner, on trees, fences, and grass, where the bidders could examine and choose at their ease.

Harry was auctioneer, and rattled off the most amazing medley of nonsense in praise of the articles, which he rapidly knocked down to the highest bidder. The competition was quite lively; for the boys laughed so much they hardly knew what they were doing, and made the rashest offer; but they all knew what the money was to be used for, so they paid their bills handsomely, and marched off with cross-bows, old guns, rusty swords, and tin armor, quite contented with their bargains.

Seven dollars were realized by the sale, and a fine rooster and several hens solemnly presented to Bobby, who was overwhelmed by this unexpected atonement, and immediately established his fowls in the woodshed, where they happily resided through the winter, and laid eggs with such gratifying rapidity that he earned quite a little fortune, and insisted on saying that his vigil had made him not only a knight, but a millionaire.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

THE BULL CIRCULAR.

There is some dispute in regard to the genuineness of the following, known as the "Bull circular" to bankers. It was a private circular sent only to bankers, and it is very difficult to establish at this late date of its issue by an original copy.

NATIONAL BANKERS' CIRCULAR.

Dear Sir:—It is advisable to do all in your power to sustain such daily and weekly newspapers, especially the agricultural and religious press, as will oppose the issuing of greenback paper money, and that you withhold patronage or favors from all applicants who are not willing to oppose the government issue of money. Let the government issue the coin and the banks issue the paper money of the country, for then we can better protect each other. To repeal the law creating national banks, or to restore to circulation the government issue of money, will, therefore, seriously affect our individual profit as bankers and lenders, and engage him to support our interest, that we may control legislation.

(Signed by the secretary.)
JAS. BUELL,
No. 247 Broadway, (Room 4),
New York.

But the following sent to the papers named are from the same source, and are intended to bring about the same order of things through other means. These letters prove there was such a man, that he occupied such a position and that he was a scoundrel. With the positive evidence of the one may we not believe the other was sent out:

PRIVATE CIRCULAR TO BANKERS—
"PRIVATE AND SUGGESTIVE."

"It is advisable to do all in your power to sustain such daily and weekly prominent newspapers, especially the religious and agricultural press, as will oppose the issuing of greenback paper money, and that you also withhold patronage and favors from all applicants who are not willing to oppose the greenback or government issue of paper money."

JAMES BUELL,
Secretary, 247 Broadway,
October 9, 1877.

CHICAGO INTER-OCEAN.

If you will notice the date of the following, you will see this attempt to corrupt the Inter-Ocean was made before the majority of its stock had fallen into the hands of the Plutocrats.

The following is taken from the Chicago Inter-Ocean:

"The Inter-Ocean acknowledges the receipt of the following singular document which came to this office from New York Saturday morning:

THE AMERICAN BANKERS' ASS'N.,
247 Broadway, Room 4,
New York, October 9, 1877.)

STRICTLY PRIVATE.

Dear Sir:—Please insert the enclosed printed slip as a leaded matter on the editorial page of your first issue immediately following the receipt of this, and send marked copy and bill to your truly,

JAMES BUELL, Secretary,
247 Broadway, Room 4.

Comments on slip not to exceed half a column will be paid for, if billed at the same time.

The Inter-Ocean says:

"The following is the document which we are asked to insert as a leaded matter on the editorial page, in other words, as a statement made by the Inter-Ocean."

"The Greenback party has offered through its managers to sell out to the Democrats, and hereafter work in Democratic harness if a place for a few of their leaders can be provided. This merely shows how much dependence there is to be placed on the leaders of lunatics who clamor for money based on nothing."

The Inter-Ocean remarks:

"We insert this, but we shall send no bill for it. We shall send no bill, because in the first place we do not follow directions about leading it; secondly, because we are compelled to say that we do not believe a word of the statement to be true. The attempt to thus maliciously destroy the Greenback party without submitting a word of proof is a piece of shameless and brazen effrontery which ought to be beneath any body of commercial gentlemen, and especially the American Bankers' Association."

NEW YORK SUN,

On the same day that the above was sent to the Chicago Inter-Ocean, a Republican paper, the following was sent to the New York Sun, a Democratic paper.

The Sun says:

The following was received yesterday at the office of the Sun:

THE AMERICAN BANKERS' ASS'N.,
247 Broadway,
New York, October 9, 1877.

STRICTLY PRIVATE.

Please insert the enclosed slip as editorial and send marked copy of paper with bill to
JAMES BUELL, Secretary,
247 Broadway, Room 4.

"The prospect is that in six months there will not be a Greenback leader in the land. Overtures have been made by the leaders of the Greenback movement to President Hayes to abandon the Greenback as a lost cause, providing he will give good official positions to about twenty of the most blatant of the clamorous for more money that is based on nothing!"

While our sympathies as a party of reform are naturally upon the side of every proposition which will tend to make men intelligent, virtuous and temperate, we nevertheless regard these questions important as they are, as secondary to the great issue now before the nation, and upon which not only our individual prosperity but the very existence of free institutions depends. We ask all men to first help us to determine whether we are to have a republic to administer before we differ as to the conditions upon which it is to be administered, believing that the forces of reform this day organized will never cease to move forward until every wrong is remedied and equal rights and equal privileges securely established for all the men

THE DEADLY PARALLEL.

I undertake to affirm, without fear of contradiction, that a paper issued by the Government with the simple promise to receive it for all dues, would be as uniform in its value as the metals themselves.—John C. Calhoun, Democrat.

"Our Government cannot make its fiat equivalent to intrinsic value nor keep inferior money by its own independent efforts, nor is it justified in permitting an exaggerated and unreasonable reliance on our national strength and ability to jeopardize the soundness of the people's money."—Grover Cleveland, plutocrat.

PURE DEMOCRACY.

PEOPLE'S PARTY PLATFORM.

Adopted at the Omaha Conference of Laboring People, July 4, 1892.

Assembled upon the one hundred and sixtieth anniversary of the declaration of independence, the People's party of America, in their first national convention, invoking the blessing of God, puts forth in the name and on behalf of the people of this country, the following preamble and declaration of principles:

The conditions which surround us best justify our co-operation. We meet in the midst of a nation brought to the verge of moral, political and material ruin. Corruption dominates the ballot box, the legislatures, the congress, and touches even the ermine of the bench. The people are demoralized. Most of the State have been compelled to isolate the voters at the polling places to prevent universal intimidation or bribery. The newspapers are largely subsidized or muzzled, public opinion silenced, business prostrated, our homes covered with mortgages, labor impoverished, and the land concentrating in the hands of the capitalists. The urban workmen are denied the right of organization for self-protection; imported pauperized labor beats down their wages; a hired mob is established to shoot them down, and they are rapidly degenerating into European conditions. The fruits of the toil of millions are boldly stolen to build up colossal fortunes for a few, unprecedented in the history of mankind, and the possessors of these, in turn, despise the republic and endanger liberty. From the same prolific mode of governmental injustice we breed the two great classes—tramps and millionaires.

The national power to create money is appropriated to enrich bondholders. A vast public debt payable in legal tender currency has been funded into gold-bearing bonds, thereby adding millions to the burdens of the people.

We demand that the money of the country should be kept as much as possible in the hands of the people, and hence we demand that the State and national currencies should be limited to the necessary expenses of the government, economically and honestly administered.

We demand that postal savings banks be established by the government for the safe deposit of the earnings of the people and the facilitation of exchange.

Transportation being a means of change and a public necessity, the government should own and operate the railroads in the interest of the people.

The telegraph and telephone, like the post-office system, being necessary for the transportation of news, should be owned and operated by the government in the interest of the people.

We have witnessed for more than a century the struggles of the two great political parties for power and plunder, while grievous wrongs have been inflicted upon the suffering people. We charge that the controlling influence dominating both these parties have permitted the existing dreadful conditions to develop without serious effort to prevent or restrain them. Neither do they now promise as any substantial reform, nor have they agreed together to ignore in the coming campaign every issue but one. They propose to drown the outcries of plundered people with the uproar of a sham battle over the tariff, so that capitalists, corporations, monopolies, rings, trusts, watered stock, the demoralization of silver and the oppressions of the usurers may all be lost sight of. They propose to sacrifice our homes, wives and children to the ambition of a few men, to deprive the multitude in order to secure corruption funds from the millionaires.

Assembled on the anniversary of the birthday of the nation, and filled with the spirit of the grand generation who established our independence, we seek to restore the government of the republic to the hands of "the plain people," with which class it originated.

THE WAR IS OVER.

We assert our purposes to be identical with the purposes of the national constitution—"To form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare and secure the blessings of liberty for ourselves and our posterity." We declare that this republic can only endure as a free government while built upon the basis of the whole people for each other and for the nation; that it cannot be pinned together by bayonets; that the civil war is over, and that every passion and resentment which grew out of it must die with it, and we are a united brotherhood of freemen.

Our country finds itself confronted by conditions for which there is no precedent in the history of the world—our annual agricultural production amounts to billions of dollars in value, which must within a few weeks or months be exchanged for billions of dollars of commodities consumed in their production; the existing currency supply is wholly inadequate to meet the demand; the results are falling prices, the formation of combines and rings, and the impoverishment of the producing classes. We pledge ourselves to correct these evils by wise and reasonable legislation in accordance with the terms of our platform.

We believe that the power of government—in other words, of the people—should be expanded (as in the far as the good service) as rapidly as the people demand it, so that the experience shall justify, to the end that oppression, injustice and poverty shall eventually cease in the land.

THREEFOLD DECLARATION.

While our sympathies as a party of reform are naturally upon the side of every proposition which will tend to make men intelligent, virtuous and temperate, we nevertheless regard these questions important as they are, as secondary to the great issue now before the nation, and upon which not only our individual prosperity but the very existence of free institutions depends. We ask all men to first help us to determine whether we are to have a republic to administer before we differ as to the conditions upon which it is to be administered, believing that the forces of reform this day organized will never cease to move forward until every wrong is remedied and equal rights and equal privileges securely established for all the men

THAT ARE BRINGING CONTEMPT AND UPON A DISHONORED PARTY—THE PEOPLE'S PARTY—THE BALLOT BOX DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

[Wilmington Messenger, May, 1892.]

We take leave just here to reiterate our well considered, honest opinion that North Carolina now stands very much in need of a good constitution—The Australian ballot law—that is dishonoring to the party which brings contempt and ruin upon it, if persisted in. We know of no more able, high-toned gentlemen who prefer the triumph of the Third party by resorting to low, dangerous, destructive methods at the ballot box. They have said so in our hearing. They believe that Third party have a less evil than ballot abuses.

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EDITORIAL

THE OPINION OF ISSUES

Sam Ashe, editor, says that the action of congress has been brewed up by what of the people. Capt. Ashe for and outraged and trifled with the righteous wrath of the cyclone that democratic party. The whine of a party. Ashe were a friend of the people and up their fight for justice be a man; or have only so long that they

Some time ago the silver question was dishonest attitude of the Democratic party. Vance said that arise in a few months cause a "majority" party to deliberate self, leaving not a smell of bribe street." How many stand the test? Is Wall street? Is were walking out of party and getting

The Congress extra session of 3,400 members over 3,400 members is this speeches of opinion. It is no doctropia in the question. The facts in the debate on the side of congress voted the other. That there is congress more facts and arguments. For Wall street 3,400; after that their work and the Wall street 1,400.

That the late extreme partisan his rulings in congress and in South Carolina. But the North Carolina the equally as unscrupulous for the Democratic his actions is very poked election fraud to save the chine to talk about ing packed juries

That John Sherman, adviser of Cleveland of the Democratic no one, who is in fact, Senator J. positively makes Washington Post for this condition of "There is no reason proposition put forward man for maintaining currency should not be determined as though Democratic side of

Conductor Jarve Carr made special fair in Raleigh last newspaper reports of the "disinterested men." Conductor getting ready to add passengers on next excursion.

Now is the time heart and conscience get THE CAUCASIAN of every honest man of the old party. How can you hope on the truth unfactly THE CAUCASIAN them light.

Harrison proposes by a high Cleveland proposes by a contraction Harrison's game will the expense of the land's game will cost even more.

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